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The following Act of Parliament received the assent of the President on the 8th September, 1959, and is hereby published for general information:—

THE CENTRAL EXCISES AND SALT (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1959

No. 37 OF 1959

[*8th September, 1959*]

An Act further to amend the Central Excises and Salt Act, 1944.

BE it enacted by Parliament in the Tenth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

Short title and commencement

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Central Excises and Salt (Amendment) Act, 1959.

(*2*) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of July, 1959.

Amendment of the First Schedule, Act 1 of 1944.

2. In the First Schedule to the Central Excises and Salt Act, 1944,—

(*a*) in Item No. 24, for the entry in the third column, the entry "Twenty naye paise per imperial gallon or sixteen per cent. *ad valorem*, whichever is higher, *plus* eighty naye paise per imperial gallon" shall be substituted;

(*b*) in Item No. 25.—

(*i*) in sub-item (*a*), for the entry in the third column, the entry "Sixteen per cent. *ad valorem plus* rupees fifty per ton" shall be substituted;

(*ii*) in sub-item (*b*), for the entry in the third column, the entry "Sixteen per cent. *ad valorem plus* rupees fifteen per ton" shall be substituted;

(c) after Item No. 27, the following Item shall be inserted, namely:—

"28.	Asphalt and Bitumen (including cutback Bitumen and Asphalt) natural or produced from petroleum or shale.	Twenty-seven per cent. *ad valorem*."

G. R. RAJAGOPAUL, Secy.

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